

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 10 July 66 ¹⁰ /1102Z	2. LOCATION 2445N- 12445E (Multiple)
3. SOURCE Military	10. CONCLUSION Astero (Meteor) ✓ <i>jet</i>
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	<i>later info indicates that this is satellite decay see 10 July 66 Ryukyu Islands</i>
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 12 - 15 seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observers noted round - tubular shaped object similar to a missile. Object was bluish-green in color rapidly changing to orange. Object appeared to break off or separate at tail.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	Due to the initial brilliance of the object and the short period of the actual sighting a meteor is the probable cause of this sighting.
7. COURSE SSE	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

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REF. THIS MESSAGE IN ELEVEN PARTS. PART I. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT: (1) ROUND- TUBULAR SIMILAR TO A MISSILE. (1) QUARTER.

(3) BLUEISH GREEN RAPIDLY CHANGING TO ORANGE/5 (4) ONE. (5) N/A

WRYL NONE. (7) NONE. (8) NONE (9) OBJECT APPEARED TO BREAK OFF

OR SEPARATE AT TAIL. PART II. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT:

(1) OBJECT APPEARED TO BE LOOKING OUT AND THE MOVEMENT IN THE SKY

ATTRACTED THEIR ATTENTION. (2) 24. 000000, 20-25 MILES 10,000-

20,000 FEET. (3) ALONG THE SAME: SLIGHTLY SOUTH. (4) NORTH TO

SOUTH- NORTH-EAST STRAIGHT LINE PARALLEL TO EARTH'S SURFACE.

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SPEED 200 KNOTS UP TO VERY HIGH SPEED. (5) VISIBLE 12-15 SECONDS.

PART III. MANNER OF OBSERVATION: (1) GROUND VISUAL. (2) NONE. (3) N/A.

PART IV. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING: (1) 10/1102Z JULY 1968. (2) OUSA.

PART V. LOCATION OF OBSERVER(S): 2045N 1244SE. PART VI. IDENTIFYING

INFORMATION ON OBSERVER(S): CAIN, JACK O. WSGT, DET 1 623ACRON.

MIYAKO JIMA AS HYOKU ISLS, FIRST SGT HIGHLY RELIABLE. CONROY, ROBERT

J, ALC, DET 1 623ACRON. MIYAKO JIMA AS HYOKU ISLS, AIR POLICEMAN-

HIGHLY RELIABLE. ESTER, TERRY C, SSGT, DET 1 623ACRON, MIYAKO JIMA

AS HYOKU ISLS, GROUND POWER SPECIALIST-HIGHLY RELIABLE. GOFF, WILLIAM

L, TSGT, DET 1 623ACRON, MIYAKO JIMA AS HYOKU ISLS, ACW RADAR TECH

NICIA, HIGHLY RELIABLE. KING, WILLIAM W, TSGT, DET 1 623ACRON.

MIYAKO JIMA AS HYOKU ISLS, ACW TECHNICIAN-HIGHLY RELIABLE. PART VII.

WEATHER AND WINDS-AIR CONDITIONS AT TIME AND PLACE OF SIGHTING:

(1) CLOUDS FLY CLOUDS. (2) 190/40, 200/15, 200/15, 150/15, 150/12

050/12, 050/39, 050/39. (3) UNLIMITED. (4) UNLIMITED. (5) 2/10.

(6) NONE. (7) COOLING RATE ONE AND A HALF DEGREES CENTIGRADE PER

1,000 FEET. PART VIII. ANY OTHER UNUSUAL ACTIVITY OR CONDITION: NONE.

PART IX. INTERCEPTION OR IDENTIFICATION ACTION TAKEN: NONE. PART X

LOCATION, APPROXIMATE ALTITUDE, AND GENERAL DIRECTION: NONE. PART XI

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POSITION, TITLE AND COMMENTS OF PREPARING OFFICER: CHIEF, INTELLI-

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